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# ALLIES TAKING WAR TO JAPANESE IN PACIFIC; BEGIN MOVE AGAIN IN ITALY

## EIGHTH ARMY TAKES IMPORTANT TOWNS IN DRIVE TOWARD ROME

### RETREATING GERMANS FIRING TOWNS TO LEAVE NO SHELTER

**By NOLAND NORGAARD**  
ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, Algers, Nov. 22.—(P)—Plunging forward four miles in the mountainous Central sector of Italy, Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery's Eighth Army has seized two more towns overlooking an additional stretch of the main road to Rome and moved into position from which to launch a full-blown offensive against the enemy's winter defenses, allied headquarters said today.

San Pietro Avellana, 10 miles due west of Agnone and only five miles east of an important junction of highways leading to the Italian capital, was scooped up along with Vastogirardi, to the southeast of San Pietro Avellana, in the Montgomery advance, which was made despite heavy rains drenching the entire front.

Falling back before the onslaught the Germans were firing the towns of Alfedena and Castel Di Sangro in apparent determination to leave no shelter when they are forced to give up those places.

Alfedena is three miles west of the fork in the central road to Rome and Castel Di Sangro is two miles northeast of the fork on the branch leading to the Rome-Pescara highway.

The allied forces were approaching from two directions, from the southeast on the road from Rionero, and from the west in the direction of Agnone, which the Eighth Army took Saturday afternoon out an eight-mile deep enemy salient.

The new gains, putting the left wing of the eighth army within two miles of the upper Sangro river, were secured when Gen. Sir Harold Alexander's ground forces in Italy had been reinforced by the recent arrival of a large number of Canadians. There was no indication whether the new contingents already had been in action, however.

#### Naval Units Active.

Meanwhile, the British destroyers Quilliam and Loyal, nosing up the Adriatic coast, intercepted a German convoy of light craft off San Benedetta, midway between Ancona and Pescara and sank one lighter and possibly a second. They also sank a small boat and escaped with only superficial damage when coastal guns opened fire.

In the air, American twin-engined Marauders rained bombs on an 18-acre area at the much-bombed railway and seacoast town of Civitavecchia, 40 miles northwest of Rome, smashing two quays, sinking a 100-foot vessel in the harbor and demolishing many buildings.

"I saw our bombs hit smack in a large storage and ammunition dump area and in five seconds the whole place went up in a mass of flames, smoke and debris," said one bombardier, Staff Sgt. Arthur A. Wallerstedt, 6545 South Halsted St., Chicago.

#### Ten German Divisions.

It was estimated that 10 front line German divisions now were defending the positions along the Garigliano and Sangro rivers, which prisoners and deserters continued to describe as the enemy's "winter line." Aerial reconnaissance showed the Germans were working feverishly to strengthen

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**ALLIED ARMIES ADVANCE IN ITALY**—Although hampered by water and mud, the British Eighth Army advanced five miles to capture Perano (arrow and British flag) and American troops of the Fifth Army gained ground around Venafro (arrow and American flag), Allied headquarters announced. Capture of Perano menaced German concentrations at Archi. (AP wirephoto.)

## Award Will Be Presented Father Missing Airman

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Sgt. Jennings has been missing in action in continental Europe since June 13, 1943.

The public is invited to attend the presentation ceremonies Tuesday.

Mr. Jennings, Sr., is an employee at the Texas Power and Light Company sub-station at Navarro.

Sgt. Jennings was a tail-gunner on a bomber. He volunteered for the air forces in July, 1942, and had been overseas several months when he was reported missing.

## Fourth War Loan Drive Will Seek \$14,000,000,000

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—(P)—The nation's No. 1 salesmen—the millions of volunteers in the war bond campaigns—prepared today for the \$14,000,000,000 Fourth War Loan which will begin Jan. 18 and run until Feb. 15.

The treasury, in announcing the new drive yesterday said state war financing committees have been strengthened and expanded and that major emphasis this time will be placed on the \$5,500,000,000 for civilians. Treasury Secretary Morgenthau emphasized however that other non-banking investors also will be invited to participate.

## PACIFIC SITUATION APPEARS BE FOMENTING REAL TROUBLE FOR JAPANESE ISLAND BASES

### By DWIGHT MACKENZIE

Associated Press War Analyst. So Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, our commander in chief of the Pacific fleet, meant business when he recently forecasted he would bring to the world at large both friends and foes: "Our time has come to strike; henceforth we propose to give the Jap no rest anywhere."

He wasn't slow in implementing this challenge. Our great bombers started raiding the Gilbert and Marshall Islands with devastating results, and today United States Marines and army units are ashore on Makin and Tarawa atolls in the Gilbert group—our first invasion north of the equator—engaged in heavy battles with the Japs.

The ultimate objective of this new offensive is capture of Rabaul, another strategic Jap naval and air base, on the northern tip of New Britain island. We are successful in both these ventures shall have severed the Japanese positions in this whole area and moved our own bases well forward towards Truk and Japan itself.

Of course, this is just the beginning of an offensive which has far to go, and we shouldn't expect to achieve all our objectives in the immediate future. However, it certainly is heartening to see our forces in the Pacific and especially our navy, reach that point of strength where we can carry the war to the enemy without cessation. When you stop to think what happened to our fleet at Pearl Harbor, the present operations speak volumes for our power of recovery.

From now on our offensive in the Pacific may be expected to swell steadily until it reaches its climax. At the same time we must remember that we can't throw everything we should like to immediately into the war against the Japanese.

Before we can go all out against the Mikado's forces we must smash the Germans. Once we have done that job—and it's well on its way now—we shall be able to release terrific striking power against the Orient in the colossal Anglo-American navies and air fleets.

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## ARMY, NAVY BOMBERS BLASTED ISLAND OF TARAWA IN WRECKAGE

### PRE-INVASION BOMBINGS OF GILBERT ISLAND EXTREMELY HEAVY

(Wires) of American Army and Navy bombers pounded Tarawa Friday in a series of devastating attacks which preceded the invasion of that Japanese-held island in the Gilbert group. Saturday morning, Gen. George S. Patton, commanding American pilots to William H. Worden, Associated Press, was correspondent, indicated Tarawa was under fire from American aircraft and appeared helpless after several bombings. The invaders, however, found the tiny atoll heavily defended with anti-aircraft and machine gun positions.

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## UNITED STATES HAS BEGIN ITS PROMISED PACIFIC OFFENSIVE

### AMERICAN SOLDIERS AND MARINES LAND ON TWO GILBERT ISLANDS

**By The Associated Press.**

The United States has begun its promised offensive in the Central Pacific.

American soldiers and marines carried the fight to the Japanese on the low, sandy beaches and the rocky terrain of Tarawa and Makin islands in the Gilberts on a campaign aimed at the heart of Japan's power in the Pacific—Truk.

No further word has been issued on the invasion of the two geographically small but strategically important bases since Admiral Chester W. Nimitz tersely announced the landings carried out Saturday.

The announcement yesterday by the commander in chief of the Pacific fleet said the American forces met "moderate resistance" at 11-mile long Makin, and strong resistance at Tarawa, largest of the Gilberts chain 240 miles southwest of Hawaii.

The Japanese Imperial headquarters, in a communiqué broadcast by Radio Tokyo, reported today heavy fighting was in progress on both islands. American forces landed without difficulty.

Japan does not intend to give up easily its hold on air bases which American bombers could use to pierce still deeper into Nippon territory for the eventual thrust at Truk 1600 miles to the west.

Strong aerial support.

But the invasion forces could certainly depend on strong aerial support, as evidenced in the week-long series of raids by both land and carrier-based planes on both the Gilberts and Marshalls in advance of the landings.

They had the cover of powerful naval units which helped establish the beachheads—units which the Tokyo radio said included battleships and aircraft carriers.

The campaign got underway with the recent assurance by Admiral Nimitz that "we now have the means to take the offensive

strongly."

Those directing the campaigns issued an urgent appeal to the citizenship to meet this important obligation to the men and women in uniform pointing out that the

## TO CONTINUE CHEST WAR FUND CAMPAIGN LEADERS ANNOUNCED

### APPROXIMATELY TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS NEEDED TO REACH QUOTA

**By The Associated Press.**

In the Gilbert Islands today American soldiers are engaged in hand to hand fighting with the Japanese as they fought to extend their beachheads.

In Italy American soldiers in Gen. Mark W. Clark's Fifth Army continue to push forward handicapped by snow and mud.

From bases on the British Isles American pilots continue to blast the Germans around the clock.

American soldiers, without question or hesitation, continue to give their lives while the citizens of Corsica and Navarro county is asked to give only a few dollars.

Pledges to the Corsican Community Chest and the Navarro County War Fund totalled \$46,681.38 at the close of business midnight Saturday, according to announcement Monday morning by Robert G. Dillard, executive secretary of the combined campaigns.

Approximately ten thousand dollars is needed to meet the quota of \$51,462.62 assigned the city and county.

Committees will continue to solicit pledges and the campaign will be continued until the quota is reached, it was announced by leaders of the organizations.

It was also pointed out that only a small per cent of the county had made reports and that there were many individuals in Corsica who have not made a contribution.

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**NEARLY IDENTICAL FAMILIES PERPLEX CLERK**—This pair of families, headed by identical twin brothers who married sisters, and each having one child as a third member, for a time perplexed a war housing center clerk at Washington by applying for apartments, separately, within a space of a few minutes. They are Master Sgt. Victor F. Roberts, (left) behind his wife and daughter, and Master Sgt. Virgil F. Robertson, behind his wife and son. They enlisted together, were married at Honolulu in a double ceremony, were serving at Pearl Harbor when the Japs struck, later served on Guadalcanal, and returned to America together. Formerly of Cleburne, Texas, they are now stationed at Drew Field, Washington, D.C., as plane inspectors (AP wirephoto).

On Russian Front.

Saturday and its outcome must be decided swiftly because the islands are too tiny for large land forces and too bare to provide much cover. Resistance on Tarawa, main enemy base in the Gilberts which Japan seized from Britain two years ago, was strong. Opposition on Makin, seaplane base, was moderate.

Admiral Chester Nimitz's drive complemented the continuing offensive of Gen. MacArthur and Admiral Halsey in the Southwest Pacific. On Bougainville in the Solomons, U. S. forces enlarged and consolidated their bridgehead at Empress Augusta Bay. On New Guinea, the Australians lashed at the Japanese with tanks within a mile of Satteneberg. Both prongs of MacArthur's pincers threatened the great base of Rabaul on New Britain, the southern end of which was pulverized with a record load of 133 tons of bombs dumped on Gasmata. Japanese operation on land and in the air increased.

On Russian Front.

Forces engaged in the Pacific were but a tiny fraction of those locked in violent combat in Russia, where the Red army with massed artillery was opposing serious German assaults against their Kiev bulge, 60 miles west of the Ukrainian capital. The Russians said the Germans had been halted since their recapture of Zhitomir, but the Nazis claimed to have driven with 40,000 men. The Russians called the situation serious.

The Russians mounted a new offensive thrust against Krivoi Rog, inside the Dnieper bend, to divert German power. Moscow said that Nazi resistance collapsed south of Kremenchug and that other Soviet columns were gaining southwest of Dnepropetrovsk and in the Rechitsa area, of White Russia. Berlin reported a new Russian landing in the Crimea south of Kerch.

On Italian Front.

Slogging on land, British troops in central Italy, British

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**NAZI DOOM**

It was "bitter beer" that Adolf Hitler and his murderous gang drank on the twentieth anniversary of his "Beerhall Putsch." Stalin's powerful Russian war machine continued rolling from the East in its vast wave of reconquest. Kiev, the second Russian city, was again in the hands of its own people. The westward surge had swept around the Crimea and moved on. A vast wall of Russian troops and armament stretched from Leningrad south to Nikolaev, pressing westward to Odessa, sweeping into Bessarabia, and nearer to Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania, East Prussia, Poland and Rumania. It was almost as if a vast door were opening from the west for the Slavs' triumphant entrance.

It can't be long now until these armies of liberation accomplish their European job. A few months, perhaps. Certainly not more than a year at most. Russian power and the onward sweep of the western Allies combine with the shrinking power of German forces and the growing terror of the German people.

The North countries are stirring. There must be terror in the heart of Adolf Hitler himself, and of the gutter pals who helped him plan and shared his murderous progress. They see the handwriting on the wall. "Mene, Mene, Tekel Upharsin" it says, in the Biblical word of doom. "Thou are weighed in the balance and found wanting."

**THE CHANNEL**

Major George Fielding Eliot, eminent military analyst, says the big blow at Germany will be directed at the French coast opposite Britain, just where most people have expected it from the first. So the famous old English Channel, only 20 miles across and visible from England on a clear day, will bear the brunt of the attack once more, as it has done so many times in European history. It would be thrilling to see that from the air.

If the invasion does strike there, it will probably represent about half strategy and half pride, as far as the British are concerned. They will feel the humiliation of having been kicked out of France by the Germans, and losing everything but their pants, after their crossing early in the war. That was not their fault, but the fault of their French allies, who yielded and left a big breach in the line, through which the German army poured. But it was a great disaster, losing France, lengthening the war and forcing the British to start all over again.

Now they are ready with American power by their side, and vast air power overhead, and the enemy weakened. It will be a costly undertaking, but it will do the job.

**SINEWS OF WAR**

Congress is growing timid about federal tax bills. The House is chopping down the \$10,500,000,000 appropriation urged by the administration, to a mere \$2,000,000,000.

It is an interesting problem, both arithmetical and psychological, for any intelligent taxpayer to sit down and seriously try to figure out how much victory he can buy in this war for two billions. Not much, by any rational estimate. Experts have been talking

**Edgar A. Guest**

The Poet of the People

**LIBERTY'S WORTH.**  
Were freedom in life's market  
cheaper,  
An easy right to gain and keep.  
There'd be no need for boys to die  
As happy privilege to buy.

Could it with money be supplied,  
For it no man had ever died.  
Were it displayed on merchants'  
shelves,  
The rich would have it for themselves.

We're liberty, like trinkets small  
In comfortable reach of all,  
In which we need, each twenty  
years,  
For agony and blood and tears.

So precious freedom's every right,  
It must be cherished day and night;  
And once obtained, by struggle hard,  
To keep it men must stay on guard.

So very dear is freedom's price  
In life, and all men sacrifice,  
That never more should we forget  
Its cost in blood and tears and sweat.

of American war bills in terms of as much as \$300,000,000.

There is an election coming on. Presumably the shrinkage of recent war appropriations reflects political fears as to how the war bills will affect next year's election. If so, the experts who do the paring and squeezing are probably making a mistake. The big bills for victory will have to be voted anyway, sooner or later. Both the war effort and the political effort will fare better if Congress faces the facts and meets the requirements now, as fully as possible, while people have the biggest incomes in American history.

**DIGGIN' COAL**

Flying the American flag over the coal mines doesn't seem to have accomplished much. It was only done as a sign that the United States government had assumed authority over the mines to keep coal production moving; but the moral and patriotic effect which might have been expected doesn't seem to materialize.

Apparently the miners don't see much connection between coal and the flag. They work or not, as they happen to feel about it. And there doesn't seem to be much indication that liberal wage increases have stimulated the industry.

Present needs. Present needs have been listed as follows:

Medical, psychiatric and general social workers for case work, supervisory and administrative positions in military hospitals both overseas and in this country, and traveling supervisor jobs within the United States.

Women with recreational leadership experience and those with recreation skills are needed to work in foreign and domestic military hospitals. Those with no training but with experience in either the social or recreation fields, and who have had some college work, are needed as staff aides, here and abroad.

Men with college education or the equivalent are needed for counseling positions, serving as assistant field directors on military posts here and overseas.

Men accountants are needed for traveling positions overseas.

Ages for all women applicants are 25 to 45 years. Men must be between 30 and 50, and eligible through their selective service classification for such work. Appointments may be made by contacting Miss Sarah Marie Conley, Baked Hotel, Dallas.

**USEFUL PATRIARCH**

It is a familiar truth that able and useful men often have to leave home to be appreciated. This is not exactly the case with Cordell Hull, who has been pretty well appreciated all along; but certainly he has risen in stature and general estimation as a result of his diplomatic visit to Moscow. By all accounts he made a great hit with Stalin and the other statesmen there, and his presence and influence had an important part in the great program adopted for international cooperation.

As an "elder statesman" Secretary Hull now stands at the peak of his career. At the age of 70, as with the shrewd hero Ulysses, "age hath still his honor and his toil." Mr. Hull should have a prominent part in winding up this war and launching a better world.

The experts are wrong when they say "anything may happen now on the Nazi front." How about honor and human decency?

The Allies have been talking turkey to Turkey, but what can you do with a man named Menemengicoglu.

Remember when the South Seas were romantic instead of belligerent?

**Personal**  
Miss Dean Minatra spent last weekend with her mother, Mrs. O. C. Minatra, and Mrs. Bruce Denbow, and son Ted, in Blooming Grove.

**Red Cross Posts Now Open for Foreign Duty**

A group of national American Red Cross staff members have arrived in Dallas to interview persons interested in applying for Red Cross staff positions in military posts in the United States and overseas. The group will remain at the Baker Hotel through Monday, November 22nd.

Until now, persons wishing to go overseas and Red Cross staff workers have been required to apply through the national headquarters office in Washington, D. C.

The increasing need for expanded personnel has prompted the national office to send interviewers into the field to enlist eligible men and women for the work.

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**Basketball Will Start Corsicana High Near Future**

Basketball practice for high school athletes is expected to begin shortly after the Thanksgiving Holidays. School officials are arranging a schedule, but the work has not been completed.

Clyde Watson, mentor during last year, again will have charge of the basketeers this winter.

Several weeks training is expected to be carried out, with regular scheduled games after the Christmas Holidays.

A number of high schools in this area are not planning to sponsor cage teams this winter.

It is understood here that Ennis and Cleburne plans for basketball teams.

**Lila Jean Brown Elected to Honorary Scholastic Society**

DENTON, Nov. 19.—(Spl.)—Miss Lila Jean Brown of Corsicana was one of 20 new members elected recently to Alpha Chi, honorary scholastic society, at Texas State College for Women.

Object of the society is the stimulation, development, and recognition of scholarship and those elements of character which requirements for admission are make scholarship effective, and A average and junior or senior standing.

Program for the year included a Christmas breakfast, a formal dinner in the spring, and monthly meetings devoted to the theme "Thing Worth Striving For," with topics on the arts, religion, economics, and government.

Miss Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Brown, 602 North Twenty-fifth street, is a junior majoring in general music.

**Frost Girls 4-H Club Names Officers**

Joyce Lee Way was elected president of the Frost 4-H Club at a meeting held on Wednesday, Nov. 17.

Other officers elected by the girls were: Katie McClure, vice president; Beulah Fay Johnson, secretary and treasurer; Bobbie McClure, sergeant-at-arms; Betty Ruth Miller, home improvements; Katie McClure, home food supply demonstrator, and Mrs. Frank Neal was re-elected sponsor.

Following the election of officers, Miss Vera Sneed, county home demonstration agent, showed the club girls how to make simple protective and blanket protectors. All the girls were interested in the work and are planning on making the protectors for their own beds.

There were 16 present at the meeting.

**World Community Day Is Observed**

FAIRFIELD, Nov. 20.—(Spl.)—Services were held at the Presbyterian church here Thursday afternoon for the program on "The Price of an Enduring Peace," with about 25 women from the different churches represented. The worship service was led by Mrs. Frank McClory and prayers were offered by Mrs. F. B. Peyton and Mrs. Elizabeth Clark.

The following program was presented:

**The Price of War and Peace—Mrs. Jimi Tate.**

Promises Will Not Produce a Lasting Peace—Mrs. Richard Dickie.

Economic Interdependence—Mrs. Athel Ivy.

World Order—Mrs. Johnson-Hymen—Peace, Perfect Peace.

Kerns 31, Italy 0.

Kerns Roberts finished their regular schedule Friday night with a 31-0 decision over the Italy Gladiators at Italy, and earned the right to meet Hubbard next week in the district championship battle.

**Mr. Farmer**

Bring us your hens, flocks, eggs and sour cream. We will pay you the highest market price in cash.

4 C. L. McMANUS.

210 E. 5th Ave.

**RESIDENT DRANE COMMUNITY DIED FRIDAY AFTERNOON**

Funeral services for Lon Frank Cox, age 65 years, who died at his home in the Drane community late Friday afternoon, were held from the home of his sister, Mrs. N. T. Smith. Drane, at 1:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Jack Bell and interment was at Mertens.

Surviving are a brother, J. J. Cox, Mertens; three sisters, Mrs. N. T. Smith, Drane; Mrs. M. Cox, Millford; Mrs. C. E. Cooper, Dallas; a number of nephews and nieces and other relatives.

He had been a merchant in the Drane community several years. Corley's Funeral Home directed the arrangements.

**W. L. Platt**

W. L. Platt of Waco, supervisor of Vocational Rehabilitation, was in Corsicana early this week to confer with Mrs. H. G. Brown concerning physically handicapped men of Navarro County. While here, he left the following information that should prove of inestimable value to physically handicapped:

Inks Lake Technical School, a vocational training school with an overall valuation of between \$400,000 and \$500,000, ideally located on the shores of picturesquely Inks Lake, opened for the training of physically handicapped students through the efforts of the state. The school is the hub of the aviation network of the state. We lead in oil in cotton, in cattle, in sheep; we have abundant power; we have vast supplies of natural gas; we are rich in raw materials. Texas can witness the greatest industrial development and prosperity than any region has ever known in all the history of the world, when peace again returns.

**Coach Allen Remarks**

Coach Pete Allen told of Sam Roberts' absence because of a broken leg received in the final game of the season at Cleburne. Allen thanked the citizenship for their support during the year, and said it might have seemed an unsuccessful season to some, but he had no alibis or excuses. He asserted that he would put the 1942 boys up against any group, past or future, as to their behavior and character and their behavior with which they impressed the spectators. The Tiger mentor said his charges had shown improvement in each game played, and the boys never gave up or quit fighting although outmanned in size and experience in every game. He spoke of the development into better boys and men if they can continue to come back and fight against great odds.

Coach Allen related an experience at the cafeteria at Cleburne and quoted the proprietress as saying: "You've the most gentlemanly and best conducted bunch of football players I've fed here during the past 12 years."

All the squad introduced themselves and Coach Allen presented the following letter awards for 1943:

**Lettermen Introduced**

Bill Balcom, Bobby Lang, Marvin Crowe, Don Cummings, Billy Gene Ford, James Lester, Sonny Harwell, James Howell, Bill Newton, Alvin Prince, Gus Watson, O. L. Slaughter, Jerry Smith, Owen Smith, Joe Lewis, Harvey Ray, James Helfner, Sam Roberts, Bill Reed, Bob Goulder, Wesley Jordan, Charlie Russell, and J. R. (Sparky) Adams. A plaque engraved the manager award.

A telegram was read expressing loyalty and approbation toward the Tigers from Beauford H. Jester, chairman of the Texas Railroad Commission.

In the beginning of his re-

standing, Honoring Miss Daisy Dean Manning, bride-elect of Lieut. Rodney T. Brubaker, a miscellaneous tea shower was given at Richland on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lillian Allen, with Mrs. Lloyd Parker, Clyde Anderson, Walter Hendon and Preston Inman as co-hostesses.

The reception room of the Allen home was decorated with the bride's chosen colors of pink and white. In the receiving line with the bride-elect were her mother, Mrs. J. R. Manning; her sister, Mrs. Roy Manning; her aunt, Mrs. W. C. Pease, and Mrs. Allen.

Miss Sibyl Carter greeted the guests and Miss Zane Daniel presented the announcement cards bearing the phrase, "Daisy and Rod, Nov. 20." Mrs. Jerome Windham presided at the bride's register.

The refreshment table was laid with the traditional bride-white port wine lace cloth, covered in a profusion of tiny white chrysanthemums, and flanked with white tapers in crystal candelabra.

Misses Maxine Brown and Dorothy Sands poured from a crystal punch service. Mrs. Preston Inman presented each guest with a lace-embroidered corsage of white chrysanthemums.

More than seventy guests called during the afternoon, including the following out-of-town guests: Mrs. James McCravy, Weatherford; Mrs. J. D. Deans, Roswell, N. M.; and Messrs. Roy Martin, W. C. Pearce, Warren Howard, Robert Rawls, Gordon Elkins, J. Elkins, and Miss Dorothy Hollingsworth of Corsicana.

Mose Blumrosen, prominent Navarro county Republican, announced today that Wendell L. Wilkies will speak at the Fair Park auditorium and gave a cordial invitation to the residents of Corsicana and Navarro county to attend the meeting which will start at 8 p. m. Wilkies will be introduced by R. E. Creager, it was stated by Blumrosen.

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## WORTHAM, GROESBECK SOLDIERS REPORTED MISSING IN ACTION

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—(AP)—The War Department made public today the names of 566 United States soldiers missing in action, including the following from Texas:

European area:

Calvert, Staff Sgt. Jack H.—John H. Calvert, father, Tokio.

Gatton, Staff Sgt. Charles C. Jr.—Charles C. Gatton, Sr., father, El Paso.

McPherson, Capt. William R. Jr.—Mrs. Namoi L. McPherson, mother, Eagle Pass.

Manley, 2nd Lt. Harvey A.—John Manley, father, Alamo.

Moseley, 2nd Lt. Hubert J.—Arthur Moseley, father, Rochelle.

Riddle, Tech Sgt. Lloyd G.—Mrs. Gladys M. Riddle, wife, Blue Ridge.

Rodriguez, Staff Sgt. Monica R.—Mrs. Justa R. Rodriguez, mother, Sweetwater.

Simons, 2nd Lt. Capen R.—Mrs. T. A. Simons, mother, Kingsville.

Vaughn, 1st Lt. James V.—Hiram D. Vaughn, Jr., father, Byers.

Mediterranean Area:

Bird, Sgt.—James W.—Mrs. Bird, E. Bird, wife, 1125 West 6th St., Austin.

Boykin, Pfc. William S.—Mrs. Libby L. Boykin, wife, 3014 Picket St., Greenville.

Bradsher, Pfc. Clyde A.—Oliver D. Bradsher, cousin, 1500 Bolden Ave., Austin.

Brandon, Pfc. Roland K.—Mrs. Ona F. Brandon, wife, Ballinger.

Brettkreutz, Pvt. Otto W.—Otto K. Brettkreutz, father, Caldwell.

Burningham, Pvt. George C.—Mrs. Allie Burningham, mother.

Campbell, Pfc. Johnnie E.—Mrs. Johnnie E. Campbell, wife, Ballinger.

Campbell, Pvt. Thomas W.—Mrs. Rosa Etta Lockwood, mother, 705 South 9th St., Waco.

Cantu, father, New Braunfels.

Carroll, Staff Sgt. M. D.—Mrs. William W. Carroll, mother, Killean.

Deutsch, Pfc. Alvin S.—Mrs. Mary Deutsch, mother, Caldwell.

Faircloth, Cpt. James—Mrs. Roy F. Faircloth, wife, Chandler.

Fienkenik, Cpl. David G.—Mrs. Linda Fienkenik, mother, 17 North King St., Greenville.

Ford, Staff Sgt. Truett J.—Mrs. Wanda L. Ford, wife, Stephenville.

Gaither, Pvt. Roscoe D.—Marion A. Gaither, father, Blue Bridge.

Gates, Pfc. Thomas A.—M. M. Gates, father, Summer.

Gattis, Pfc. J. E.—Mrs. Emma F. Gattis, mother, Anna.

Gentry, Pfc. Thomas G.—Mrs. Cleo B. Gentry, mother, Sherman.

Giddens, Pfc. Jeff A.—William A. Giddens, father, Holland.

Kinzel, Pfc. Franklin L.—Mrs. Minnie Kinzel, mother, Caldwell.

Griffin, Pfc. Cecil C.—Cornelius Griffin, father, Somerville.

Hedrick, Engt. E. N.—Mrs. Mildred Hicks, wife, Stephenville.

Howell, Tech. 5th Gr. John P.—Mrs. Minnie P. Howell, mother, Flores.

Hurley, Pvt. Eldon E.—Robert L. Hurley, father, 85 Graham St., Paris.

Jennings, Pfc. Howard D.—Will Jennings, father, Morales.

Jeck, Pfc. Jerry—Mrs. Emilie Jeck, mother, West.

Kaltwasser, Pvt.—Wayne G. Klein F. Kaltwasser, father, Caldwell.

Kirkpatrick, Pfc. Charles E.—Mrs. Eddie A. Fennel, mother, West.

Kovar, Pfc. George J.—Joe Kovar, father, Caldwell.

Kunetska, Pfc. John—Mrs. Emma Kunetska, mother, Hallettsville.

McKinney Pfc. Leroy—Mrs. Elmer McKinney, mother, Elkhart.

Martinez, Pvt. Lupe D.—William Martinez, father, 4118 Ave. G., Galveston.

Melton, Pfc. V. M.—Mrs. Mary Melton, mother, Stephenville.

Mendieta, Pfc. Ezequiel S.—Precianio Mendieta, father, 1111 Antelope St., Corpus Christi.

Meyer, Staff Sgt. William P.—Mrs. Dorris L. Meyer, wife, 1609 Ave. L, Galveston.

Miller, Sgt. James E.—Daniel D. Miller, father, Avery.

Moore, Tech. 5th Gr. James D.—Mrs. Orr H. Moore, mother, Aquila.

Moreland, Cpl. Troy—Mrs. Thelma M. Moreland, wife, Ballinger.

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Ranck, Staff Sgt. Robert T.—Mrs. Kathryn L. Ranck, mother, 4911 Ave. O, Galveston.

Sala, Pvt. Jessie O. Joe Salas father, 509 East 18th St., Austin.

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Singletary, Cpl. Dixie M.—Mrs. Grace S. Singletary, wife, Pickton.

Skweres, Pfc. Henry—Mrs. Anne C. Skweres, mother, Brenham.

Slot, Pfc. Philip—Mrs. Ophelia Slot, mother, Crosby.

Torres, Pvt. Jose S.—Mrs. Gloria Torres, mother, Abilene.

Smith, Cpl. Brown—Mrs. Bessie

## Courthouse News

### District Court.

The following have been summoned as petit jurors for the ninth week of the October term of the Thirteenth Judicial District court for the week beginning Tuesday, Nov. 30:

### DISTRICT 21-B CHAMPIONSHIP WILL BE AT STAKE IN TILT

By PAUL MOORE  
Sun Sports Editor

Kerens Bobcats to play Hubbard in go here Thursday

### RITES HELD SUNDAY FOR BABY; BURIAL AT PROVIDENCE

Funeral services for Garey Eugene Batson, one year old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Batson, who died at the P. S. Hospital Saturday morning.

Ex parte, James Arthur Wilkins, application to remove disabilities of minority granted.

R. J. Bennett vs. Celina Bennett, divorce granted.

Ondell, Freeze vs. Betty Jo Freeze, divorce granted.

Oscar F. Patterson vs. Mary Patterson, divorce granted.

Ralph Pinson vs. Charlotte Marie Pinson, divorce granted.

Malinda Joiner vs. Ahew Joiner, divorce granted.

There were 1,839 old delinquent pending tax bills beginning in the year of 1928 and extending to 1934 to be dismissed during Monday.

Edgar Hutchins, delinquent tax attorney, announced Monday morning.

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## INTERNATIONAL

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cipitated the strife, and promised to negotiate the question of the country's complete independence.

A fourth great battle for Changsha appeared to be shaping up in central China where two strong Japanese spearheads thrust within 10 miles of Changsh. Supporting the Chinese, U. S. fliers bombed Tzeli starting many fires. The Russian magazine, War and the Working Classes, charged that "extremist elements" in Japan had supported Germany against the Soviet.

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**Refugees From Bessarabia.**

ISTANBUL, Nov. 21.—(P)—The flood of refugees fleeing from Bessarabia into Rumania before the threat of the Soviet advance in Southern Russia has become so great, Turkish press dispatches said today, that Rumanian authorities have forbidden transport of all heavy baggage by rail.

**German Sinking Reports.**

LONDON, Nov. 22.—(P)—The Berlin radio said today that German bombers, attacking a convoy in the Eastern Atlantic yesterday, had battered and "presumably" sunk two merchant vessels totaling 18,000 tons and damaged others.

**Turk Ambassador Home.**

ISTANBUL, Nov. 22.—(P)—Safet Asikan, Turkish ambassador to Berlin who returned home last week, told Turkish journalists here yesterday:

"I am here for a short vacation and for contact with the government. Our political and economic relations with Germany continue in an atmosphere of cordial friendship."

**Japs In Turkey.**

ISTANBUL, Nov. 22.—(P)—A group of Japanese diplomats from Germany, Hungary and Bulgaria has arrived in Istanbul apparently for the purpose of making a joint report to Tokyo on the effects recent war developments and the Moscow conference had on Germany and her Balkan satellites.

**To Name Delegate Soon.**

LONDON, Nov. 22.—(P)—The United States was expected today to name its candidate as a member of its delegation to the European advisory commission, set up at the Moscow conference, following the appointment yesterday of the British and Russian representatives.

**Endorse Hull Report.**

ISTANBUL, Nov. 21.—(P)—(Delayed)—The newspaper Aksham, which frequently reflects official Turkish views, heartily endorsed today the outline of the post-war world presented to the United States Congress by Secretary of State Cordell Hull in his report on the Moscow conference.

**Wants Presidential Veto.**

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—(P)—War Manpower Commissioner Paul V. McNutt was reported ready today to ask a presidential veto for non-father draft legislation coming before the Senate which would strip him of authority over selective service.

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WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—(P)—The death of 18 persons in the crash of a U. S. naval transport plane 30 miles east of Rio De Janeiro were announced by the Navy last night.

The Assyrians and Babylonians are believed to have been the first people to use lamps.

The lens of the eye continues to grow in size throughout life.

## Relief At Last For Your Cough

Chronic bronchitis may develop if your cough, chest cold, or acute bronchitis is not treated and you cannot afford to take a chance with any medicine less potent than Cremulsion which goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes.

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## FLASH NEWS

### Faith Is Our Right

Although we are some distance from complete victory we will do well, in view of recent happenings on the battle-fronts, to have faith in our country and our leaders. Our resources and our plans can be depended upon to give us victory.

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## SEN. GAY COTTON BE CANDIDATE FOR JUDGE 3RD DISTRICT

Clay Cotton, Palestine, senior member of the Texas Senate, is quoted in news dispatches from his home town, as being a candidate for the office of Judge of the Third Judicial District. 1944. District Judge Sam R. Holland of Athens, independent, Saturday, is quoted as confirming a report that he intended to retire from the bench at the end of his present term expires, Dec. 31, 1944. Judge Holland is serving his eighth year as district judge. The Third Judicial District is composed of Anderson, Houston and Henderson counties.

Senator Cotton has served this district in the Senate for a number of years. Navarro county is in Cotton's senatorial district.

### SABOTEURS

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drop stitch, cast off" if you know how to knit.

These were, of course, freak cases.

**Some Held Confidential Jobs.** Some of the toughest would-be spies and saboteurs whom FBI caught held confidential jobs in arsenals and plants. They gathered amazingly accurate information but the Federal Bureau of Investigation knew them and made harmless all their information and actions while they thought they still were hot shots.

American Legion members and FBI-selected "spotters" posted in war plants held the line against sabotage. Of 12,132 cases investigated only 1,198 were technical acts and, while some could have been dangerous, most were merely pranks such as flattening nails under the wheels of freight cars.

So far this country has escaped sabotage as bad as the Black Tom and Kingland disasters of the last war. But this failure of early efforts argues strongly for an emergency comeback now that the heat's on Hitler.

The FBI gives this report:

Counter-spies tipped the FBI to strongly guarded training centers deep in Germany where super-saboteurs were turned out for future missions to United Nations. The public was kept away by barbed wire and bayonets.

### Volunteers Chosen.

Volunteers were chosen by the German high command on their ability to slip into allied countries with ingenuity and deadly devices to destroy vital centers and facilities. They were selected from special German regiments of men who could speak two or more languages.

The Ausland Institute, specializing in Germans returning from foreign lands, picked up material from either willing or unwilling persons known to be alert in the language, customs and conditions of countries they had fled. Himmler's secret police cut corners and browbeat into the service Germans born or naturalized in allied countries and who held no ill will toward the land of their choice but who came out of love for the fatherland.

Frequently the gestapo punished foreigners of high degree so severely in concentration camps that they too, "volunteered" for sabotage work. Many had big names who would be welcomed in America or British Isles.

Himmler threatened reprisals or promised high pay, great political, industrial or economic positions and honors after the war... maybe retribution to the victim's harassed family.

### Had Little Choice.

Selectees were drafted from foreign lands on appeals to their "German blood," their identity with the "master race," their loyalty to the fatherland or their duty to der feuerher.

In the end they had little choice.

The trainee surrendered his identity for a fake personality. He became an expert with incendiaries and explosives. He memorized all information dangerous to his mission. He learned to lie about relatives, his birth certificate and otherwise to show his citizenship and loyalty if ever apprehended.

He learned a trade required by the specific industry he was to destroy.

Then he received his faked name, social security and draft cards, driver's permit and such, and packed up.

In separate schools and under separate orders and command the espionage officers obtained and trained spies in similar fashion.

The spy memorized the names and addresses of fifth columnists lying low for a time to strike. He memorized "mail drops" for smuggling his information roundabout through other countries and other operatives to Germany.

Each spy received two parting admonitions:

Report immediately and fullest on allied war efforts, and...

Do not arouse suspicion of the G-men!

Humans need fresh fruit every day because the body does not store vitamin C.

The Sistine chapel, private chapel of the Popes in the Vatican was built for Sixtus IV in 1473.

### Just Received

New shipment of Harrison Radiators for all model Chevrolets. Also a good supply of Southwind heaters.

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## HEALTH, BEAUTY AND POISE

HOW TO IMPROVE YOUR PERSONALITY  
By VERONICA DENGEL

### THE PRINT DRESS

Bright print dresses (like this one worn by Nancy Gail RKO actress) please the eye, refreshing the dull winter months, and this year your spring print would be an excellent carry-over provided it is not too summery in appearance. Worn with dark shoes, a dark hat, coat and gloves, it would be a cheerful change, especially around the holidays when we look for a gay note in everything. For years I always had a red dress at Christmas time, and, writing this, I realize it is high time I get another. I don't guess I'll go shopping tomorrow and find myself a pretty one. I know it will be more difficult this year than ever before out, as always, when we want something really good, even if it is just a red dress, we can find it. I know

When sending for pleasure offered in my column, please remember always to enclose a stamped address and a recent stamped envelope. Address me in care of this paper. Remember, too, that cannot make personal replies to personal questions. If you have a question you must consult some recognized beautician or your personal physiologist.

Henry Holt & Son, Inc., 110 East Collin Street.

The names as tabulated and released for publication will be carried from day to day in this paper as follows:

### Negroes.

Anderson, Oscar.  
Andrews, Raymond C.  
Armstrong, Emerson.  
Anderson, Louis.  
Branch, Arthur.  
Brooks, T. V.  
Brown, James.  
Bradford, Ira T.  
Byrd, L. D.  
Brown, U. L.  
Beasley, Onie.  
Barton, Julius.  
Burnett, Lloyd.  
Burnett, Herman.  
Butler, Coming.  
Brown, Alton.  
Brown, Robert.  
Bryant, L. B.  
Bell, Tom B.  
Byonne, John.  
Brown, Willie F., Jr.  
Burns, Hayward.  
Caldwell, Clanton.  
Clopton, Alphonso.  
Cloud, Newton.  
Coker, Homer.  
Carroll, Thornton A.  
Carroll, Overton.  
Carroll, Charles E.  
Collins, Arthur.  
Cary, M. L.  
Cox, Anderson, Jr.  
Cox, Silver D.  
Camp, E. H., Jr.  
Carter, Vernan.  
Calhoun, Jason N.  
Cyrus, Lillard.  
Carroll, Jimmie D.  
Carroll, Richard.  
Chandler, Thurman.  
Castle, Arthur.  
Chandler, Sam Tom.  
Chatman, Robert Lee.  
Conley, Julius S.  
Cephus, William S.  
Cephus, William S.  
Conley, Virgil T.  
Cox, George, Jr.  
Cephus, Dalvin H.  
Duckens, Ben D.  
Davis, Persey.  
Davis, Jeff.  
Dewberry, Freeman.  
Davis, Handy.  
Daily, Johnnie B.  
Duckles, Willie S.  
Davis, Oscar.  
Douglas, James R.  
Dobkins, Eddie.  
Ell, Homer L.  
Ewry, Lonnie.  
Ewing, Matthew.  
Erwin, Emmet.  
Ford, Joe W.  
Freddouglas, Wadley Othello.  
Farris, W. M.  
Granville, Andrew.  
Griffith, Clarence James.  
Gowens, Clarence.  
Griggs, Elmer.  
Griggs, Nelson.  
George, Almetha.  
Grant, Walter B.  
Greene, William Earl.  
Greene, Johnnie.  
Gooden, Johnnie.  
Gaines, Louis D.  
Greene, Frank.  
Gooden, Willie.  
Goff, Robert L.  
Green, George.  
Greer, Lorenzo.  
Gipson, Boyd A.  
Hines, Winzal E.  
Hallman, Jeff D.  
Hardin, Clint.  
Holland, Roscoe.  
Harris, James.  
Hervey, D. J.  
Holloman, Luther M.  
Harris, Ernest.  
Hervey, John R.  
Hallman, Owens.  
Hallman, Clarence Lee.  
Hammond, Eddie Jr.  
Jones, Curtiss Lee.  
Jones, Willie.  
Jackson, R. B.  
James, Bishop.  
Jones, Elmer A.  
Jones, John D.  
Johnson, Lee.  
Johnson, Forest L.  
Jones, David D.  
Jordan, M. J.  
Jackson, Lawrence.  
Jackson, Freddie.  
Jackson, Eddie.  
Jackson, Johnnie.  
Jordan, Arthur.  
Jones, Clarence.

Jessie, Till.  
Kerr, Wade H.  
King, Joshua.  
Lewis, W. L.  
Leonard, Carroll.  
Lang, Ulysses.  
Lee, Leo.  
Lathen.  
Lynn, William.  
Lawrence, Johnnie.  
Lewis, Leon.  
Manning, Stancll.  
McCreary, Moses.  
Mosley, Delma.  
McDonald, James R.  
Miller, Warren H.  
Mitchell, Mory.  
Manning, Walter.  
McGriff, William A.  
Martin, Tulsa.  
Majors, Essie Lee.  
McGriff, Alton.  
Mangram, Robert P.  
McGrievy, Harvest D.  
McCreary, John.  
Miller, Willie.  
Moore, Louis, Jr.  
Miller, Everett.  
McGraw, James.  
McLean, James.  
Matthews, David, Jr.  
Medcalf, Hooker T.  
McHenry, Thornton.  
Medcalf, Archie.  
Martin, John H.  
Murry, Andrew.  
McDonald, James R.  
Norton, Kelly M.  
Nevels, Wilford.  
Overton, Orris H.  
Palmer, Walter E.  
Palmer, Hubert A.  
Powell, Murrell.  
Purdy, William T.  
Phillips, Sidney.  
Phillips, George.  
Parikh, Jim.  
Peterson, George.  
Phillips, Eddie.  
Phillips, Nehemiah.  
Pertene, Charles.  
Polk, Paul.  
Prince, William H.  
Powell, T. L.  
Powell, Harlon R.  
Powell, Murrell.  
Riles, Frederick A.  
Russell, Ernest.  
Reed, Jimmie.  
Randall, Lendell.  
Richardson, James.  
Refugio, Jose.  
Richardson, Leon.  
Smith, Cleo.  
Smith, Deett.  
Smith, M. T.  
Simmons, Moses.  
Sutton, Ira K.  
Stewart, Georgia D.  
Smith, Robert Lee.  
Smith, Robert Lee.  
Starks, Samuel B.  
Selmon, Audrey.  
Starks, Henry.  
Starks, Lonnie.  
Simmons, Willie.  
Smith, Harrison.  
Sayles, Bennie.  
Stanley, J. B.  
Simmons, Alford.  
Steward, Hugh.  
Thomas, Charles.  
Thomas, Robert Earl.  
Taylor, John, Harry.  
Tolerance, Tommie A.  
Thompson, Roosevelt.  
Tannerley, Alton D.  
Thomas, R. D.  
Watson, Othello, Jr.  
Washington, O. C.  
Woodard, Lorina Robert.  
Woodard, Johnnie.  
Woodard, Junius.  
West, Clifton M.  
Waters, Herbert.  
Wilson, Andrew J.  
Woods, Booker T.  
Washington, Osborne.  
Williams, Jesse.  
Wilson, Johnnie.  
Wise, Henry H.  
Wood, William C.  
Wilson, Albert.  
Williams, Willie.  
Williams, Ira Jr.  
Whitfield, Oscar.  
White, Tommie Lee.  
Walker, Garfield.  
Ware, James V.  
Washington, O. C.  
Jones, Lonnie L.  
Jordan, David D.  
Jordan, M. J.  
Jackson, Lawrence.  
Jackson, Freddie.  
Jackson, Eddie.  
Jackson, Johnnie.  
Jordan, Arthur.  
Jones, Clarence.

Kerr, Harold W.  
Brown, Owen B.  
Bridges, Q. L. Jr.  
Brown, Woodrow Hodge.  
Barnes, Lawrence E.  
Bell, Carl R.  
Burnett, James D.  
Burnett, Paul E.  
Burnett, William D.  
Bohmfaik, Erwin F., Jr.  
Brown, Truitt.  
Brown, Lewis D.  
Bostwick, Howard E.  
Brooks, Joseph Maurice.  
Boyd, Ralph C.  
Cox, Delbert C.  
Collins, Jesse A.  
Crowthier, Neal W.  
Clemens, Allen.  
Christie, Gene.  
Conner, Owen Cecil.  
Carroll, John S.  
Cravick, Jack O.  
Cruse, George R.  
Cunningham, Dan Blake.  
Cunningham, Marion LaDon.  
Cunningham, Selwyn Dale.  
Cunningham, James Raymond.  
Costlow, Melvin O.  
Champion, Willis T.  
Champion, T. A.  
Dunigan, Curtis B.  
Daniel, Roger L.  
Daniel, Grady.  
Ellis, Miriam F.  
Estes, William B.  
Evans, George E.  
Frost, William A.  
Frost, Fred Leonard.  
Faughn, William H.  
French, E. P.  
Gray, Alvin Hubert.  
Glass, James Quinton.  
Guess, Ralph A.  
Goodman, N. J.  
Gandy, Neal G.  
Gandy, M. C.  
Gandy, Roscoe D.  
Garland, Harold H.  
Garland, Hugh A.  
Garland, Maurice E.  
Hughes, Altom M.  
Hughes, Darrel H.  
Hunter, Cloris H.  
Higinbotham, John Wallace.  
Horn, Daniel.  
Halcy, Clifford B., Jr.  
Haire, Alex Eugene.  
Hair, Lonnie T.  
Hodge, Ray.  
Hodge, Scott.  
Hodge, Wilmer D.  
Hopkins, Ocie E.  
Hopkins, Preston.  
Hill, Douglas L.  
Ingham, Charlie K.  
Jean, John L.  
Jones, Charles Reign.  
Jones, Lester C.  
King, Morris R.  
Key, James W.  
Lee, David Demond.  
Lee, James Highland.  
Lee, Robert Carr (Bob).  
Lindsey, Finis Tate, Jr.  
Lewis, Turner E., Jr.  
McClendon, Coy W.  
Mitchell, Lois.  
Meador, Cecil L.  
Meador, Robert L.  
Meador, Bruce L.  
Meador, Alva L.  
Magee, George Dwayne.  
Molloy, Louis C.  
Murchison, William Polk, Jr.  
Minatra, Herschel.  
McLaughlin, James Ottis.  
Mitchell, James M.  
McClary, Roy Lee.  
Moodie, Lowell D.  
Miller, Will H.  
Montgomery, William A.  
McCarthy, George L.  
Mays, John C.  
Norton, Johnson D.  
Norton, William Stancll.  
Nokes, James Curtis.  
O'Daniel, Gorman L.  
Owens, Wilbur H.  
Owen, Robert S.  
Owen, Robert H.  
Prewitt, Estus Buford.  
Prewitt, Lazar Lee.  
Perkins, Richard L.  
Perkins, Marian E.  
Phinny, John A.  
Pullin, Cecil V.  
Riddell, Orlie Darwood.  
Ridlin, Rubin Alvy.  
Patrick, Albert F.  
Patrick, George H.  
Putman, Chester.  
Pierce, Roy Edward.  
Pierce, Alton Ray.  
Peacock, Billy Harry.  
Pryor, Earl C.  
Pryor, Raymond.  
Robinson, John R.  
Robinson, Lee A.  
Robinson, Walter H.  
Robinson, Forest R.  
Rose, James L.  
Redden, Charles W., Jr.  
Redden, Julian A.  
Redden, Harry D.  
Redden, Dean C.  
Reed, John F.  
Rawson, James B.  
James, Bishop.  
Jones, Elmer A.  
Jones, John D.  
Johnson, Lee.  
Johnson, Forest L.  
Jones, David D.  
Jordan, M. J.  
Jackson, Lawrence.  
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Jackson, Eddie.  
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NOVEMBER 23, 1943

THE CORSICANA SEMI-WEEKLY LIGHT, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1943.

## NUMBER OF WHITE SELECTEES SENT TO CAMP ON SATURDAY

White selectees sent to Camp Wolters for induction into the armed forces Saturday morning were Jimmie O. Jenkins, Earnest M. Derden, Robert L. King, Doyle O. Bryant, Cobin La Green, Edwin E. McManamy, Odie G. Alexander Jr., James L. Hale, John D. Astin, Alphonso P. Chapman, Jr., Earl D. Combs, James M. Posey, Alfred F. J. Burden, Troy W. Connor and Alvie E. Hodge.

The contingent was sent from Navarro County Draft Board No. 2. It was stated one or two of these selectees were fathers, and the December contingent will include a number of fathers.

Bounds, Harold W.  
Brown, Owen B.  
Bridges, Q. L. Jr.  
Brown, Woodrow Hodge.  
Barnes, Lawrence E.  
Bell, Carl R.  
Burnett, James D.  
Burnett, Paul E.  
Burnett, William D.  
Bohmfaik, Erwin F., Jr.  
Brown, Truitt.  
Brown, Lewis D.  
Bostwick, Howard E.  
Brooks, Joseph Maurice.  
Boyd, Ralph C.  
Cox, Delbert C.  
Collins, Jesse A.  
Crowthier, Neal W.  
Clemens, Allen.  
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Carroll, John S.  
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Cunningham, Dan Blake.  
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Hughes, Altom M.  
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Hunter, Cloris H.  
Higinbotham, John Wallace.  
Horn, Daniel.  
Halcy, Clifford B., Jr.  
Haire, Alex Eugene.  
Hair, Lonnie T.  
Hodge, Ray.  
Hodge, Scott.  
Hodge, Wilmer D.  
Hopkins, Ocie E.  
Hopkins, Preston.  
Hill, Douglas L.  
Ingham, Charlie K.  
Jean, John L.  
Jones, Charles Reign.  
Jones, Lester C.  
King, Morris R.  
Key, James W.  
Lee, David Demond.  
Lee, James Highland.  
Lee, Robert Carr (Bob).  
Lindsey, Finis Tate, Jr.  
Lewis, Turner E., Jr.  
McClendon, Coy W.  
Mitchell, Lois.  
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Meador, Bruce L.  
Meador, Alva L.  
Magee, George Dwayne.  
Molloy, Louis C.  
Murchison, William Polk, Jr.  
Minatra, Herschel.  
McLaughlin, James Ottis.  
Mitchell, James M.  
McClary, Roy Lee.  
Moodie, Lowell D.  
Miller, Will H.  
Montgomery, William A.  
McCarthy, George L.  
Mays, John C.  
Norton, Johnson D.  
Norton, William Stancll.  
Nokes, James Curtis.  
O'Daniel, Gorman L.  
Owens, Wilbur H.  
Owen, Robert S.  
Owen, Robert H.  
Prewitt, Estus Buford.  
Prewitt, Lazar Lee.  
Perkins, Richard L.  
Perkins, Marian E.  
Phinny, John A.  
Pullin, Cecil V.  
Riddell, Orlie Darwood.  
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"Tough luck, soldier!"

## RATIONING ROUNDUP

(As of Nov. 22)  
By The Associated Press

Meats, Fats, Etc. — Book three brown stamps G. H. J and K valid through December 4; stamp l valid through January 1.

Processed Foods — Book four green stamps A, B and C valid through December 20.

Sugar — Book four stamp 29 good for five pounds through January 15.

## TRUCK AND NEGRO AMBULANCE CRASH AT CHAMBERS CREEK

A white truck driver and negro ambulance operator narrowly escaped death in an accident on Chambers Creek bridge on Highway 75 North of Corsicana Monday morning at 5 o'clock. Byron Currin, State Highway Patrolman from Corsicana, answered the call and aided in unscrewing traffic jams.

Jack Edward Utley, driver of a Cathay and Carrel Trucking Company truck, received a slight injury to a hand, while the negro ambulance was driven by Roy McChristian, who escaped injury, according to Patrolman Currin. The Cathay and Carrel truck, loaded with produce, was turned over on the bridge.

## RUSSIAN

**CONTINUED FROM FIRST PAGE** was serious and the Russians no longer referred to the enemy operations as mere "counterattacks."

A Russian communiqué said yesterday that in one sector of the Korostyshew area the Germans launched three consecutive tank attacks which were hurled back by artillery fire. A wave of infantry was also smashed with heavy losses and another attack cost the Nazis 1,000 dead, the bulletin said.

The Korostyshew sector is 60 miles west of Kiev and 20 miles east of Zhitomir, which the Red Army gave up Friday.

(The German communiqué yesterday acknowledged "stubborn resistance" but said was still making further headway west of Kiev.)

A Berlin broadcast said later that the Germans had advanced to within 40 miles of Kiev.

## Red Offensive

Southwest of Dnepropetrovsk in the Dnieper bend the Russians continued to push their own offensive, capturing several heavily fortified German strongholds and the railway station of Nezabudino. In the battle for the station 800 Germans were declared to have been killed.

In the Cherwasy sector, north of Kremenchug and below Kiev, Russian artillery which had moved across the Dnieper river to a new bridgehead was reported shelling the same lines as the Red Army ground steadily through freshly fortified positions on the outskirts of Cherkassy.

In the Rechitsa area on the white Russian front west of Gomel, where the Russians are driving toward the pre-war Polish border, the Soviet communiqué said more than 20 populated places were captured. Guerrillas, harrying the Germans from the rear, were said to have disorganized German defenses.

(The German communiqué yesterday said that Russian attempts to enlarge the Kerch bridgehead in the Crimea were frustrated. The Russian bulletin made no reference to that front.)

## Give and Take Plan On Russian Front

LONDON, Nov. 22.—(UPI)—New Russian successes in the great Dnieper Bend, offset by further gains in their counterattacks west of Kiev, were reported from Moscow and Berlin today.

A Reuters dispatch from Moscow said the Russians had scored a new 20-mile advance in the Dnieper Bend after breaking through German defenses east of the Kremenchug-Znamenka railway.

One spearhead of the drive cut the railway and is advancing 25 miles northeast of Znamenka, while another driving southward has plunged to about 25 miles east of that rail juncture which lies about 50 miles southwest of Kremenchug.

The German high command said that Nazi forces driving back eastward from west of Kiev had broken through Soviet defense points after beating off counter-attacks and had captured "important and ground" west of Kiev.

The Berlin broadcast also acknowledged a new Russian breakthrough near Cherkassy, Dnieper rail junction northwest of Kremenchug, but said the breach had been closed.

In new attacks aimed at encircling Krivoi Rog, rail center within the Dnieper bend, the Berlin communiqué said Soviet drives both north of Krivoi Rog and near Nikopol to the southeast had been beaten off.

The Berlin radio said today that the Russians had landed another seaborne landing on the Crimean peninsula south of Kerch, where the Red Army of the Caucasus has been battling for days to enlarge its bridgeheads.

## Sailor and Wife Announce Arrival Son on Saturday

Seaman Second-Class and Mrs. Gene Elkins of Corpus Christi announced the arrival of a 6-pound and 10-ounce son, who was born at 12:38 p. m. Saturday, November 20th, at P. and S. Hospital, Corsicana, and has been named Hugh Gene Brown II.

The maternal grandparents of the new arrival are Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hester, and the paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Mills. Mrs. Brown will be remembered here as the former Miss Kathryn Hester.

Trial by battle was used to decide court cases in Scotland until the close of the 16th century.



**FIVE GENERATIONS**—Pictured above is five generations. From left to right: Pvt. Jack D. Howard holding his four months old son, Jackie Gene; Mrs. C. H. Howard, Mrs. W. D. Elliott and Mrs. M. E. Starnes. Coming to Texas in 1897 from Mississippi, Mrs. Starnes, 84, has resided in this city most of the time. The family now living on Corsicana Route No. 3, has lived in Corsicana since 1900.

## Information From Navarro County Rationing Board

### Market Report

#### Local Markets

Cotton ..... 18.75-19.40  
Cotton seed ..... \$56.00

#### Cotton

Texas Spot Markets  
DALLAS Nov. 22—Spot cotton 19.52; Galveston 19.40; Houston 19.51.

## ICKES DENOUNCED WAR DEPARTMENT ACTION IN CANADA

### U. S. FINANCED OIL PROJ- ECT SAID NOT IN INTER- EST OF GOVERNMENT

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—(P)—Petroleum Administrator Harold L. Ickes today denounced as not "in the interest of the government" the \$130,000,000 U. S.-financed Sand oil project in Canada, said it had been undertaken by the war department without prior consultation with his office, and asserted it "ought to be junked now."

Departing from a prepared statement to the senate's Truman war investigating committee, Ickes told Chairman Truman (D-Ala): "It never would have been undertaken if we had had anything to do about it."

"We might as well save the \$30,000,000 if it is estimated it will cost to complete it."

"It's not sound business judgment to buy something that is worth nothing and will have no value after the war is over," he said.

Benefit Imperial Oil Company and the Canadian government."

Calling for a re-examination of the contract, Ickes said:

"I don't think that it was in the interest of the government. If we had been consulted, we never would have approved such a contract."

He made this statement after Truman told him that post-war disposition of the project would rest with a Canadian and an American representative, subject to certain conditions.

The American government is to pay \$1.25 a barrel for the first 1,500,000 barrels, Truman said, with future withdrawals to paid for at 50 cents less.

Call for "Scraping" Project.

Ickes' sentiments were concurred in by Rep. Gavins (R-Pa.), who said "there are a billion barrels of oil in the earth waiting to be coaxed out" in his home district and called for immediate "scraping" of the Canadian project.

Ickes told the senate's Truman committee that in return for "enormous investments and risks which we alone have assumed," the nation should be accorded "a permanent peace-time share of the oil and products to be produced upon terms commensurate with the magnitude of the contribution" which this government has made.

The project consists of experimental drilling, a pipeline from Fort Norman to White Horse, Canada, an oil refinery at White Horse, and roads and other facilities being built by a Canadian oil company.

Emphasizing he was before the committee "as a witness and not as a volunteer" (apparently a reference to President Roosevelt's warning to department heads against airing their differences in public), the petroleum administrator and interior secretary told the senators that members of his staff first heard of the project "by chance in the spring of 1942."

"Our first impulse was to discount the report," he testified, "because we assumed, that, if any project of the kind were being considered we would have been officially informed of it."

**Write Stimson.**

When the reports were verified, he said, he wrote Secretary of War Stimson on June 3, 1942, "expressing my regret that the army had not consulted with my office on a matter which was of such vital concern to us."

He told Stimson that President Roosevelt had given him the responsibility for development of such projects and while agreed with the necessity of providing fuel for air force operations in the area, he "did not believe that the solution proposed by the army was the most desirable one."

Ickes said he raised the question of the desirability of a pipeline from Fort Norman to White Horse over 500 miles of "virtually unknown territory" involving difficult problem of procuring equipment for an aviation gas plant.

He suggested, as a less costly alternative, consideration of a plan for transporting the needed products from California via the inland passage to Skagway and thence to protected storage at White Horse and other strategic points by way of tank car or pipeline.

**Stimson Replies.**

Subsequently, he stated, Secretary Stimson, who had expressed regret that "exigencies of the military situation" did not permit prompt consultation with Ickes, agreed that further study had developed desirability of supplementary facilities by way of Skagway.

Finally agreement was reached, Ickes said, under which he sent an engineer to Fort Norman to investigate possibilities of oil development.

Before the engineer, Glen F. Ruby, former chief geologist of the Hudson Bay Company, reported, he said, Stimson wrote him that the war department was convinced that production possibilities were sufficient and was laying the Norman-White Horse pipeline and constructing the White Horse refinery.

"In brief," Ickes told the committee, "the war department favored the project. Our office recommended against it, believing that there would result a very large saving of time, money, critical materials and manpower if our alternative proposal were adopted—the movement of petroleum products by tanker to Skagway, and hence by pipeline to White Horse."

**REHABILITATION OF  
MEN OF WORLD WAR II  
LEGION SUBJECT**

Rehabilitation of the ex-service men returning home from World War II was the theme of the District 6 American Legion conference held Sunday at Kerec's local Legionnaires stated on their return. A number of posts were represented. Earl Parsons of Bryan, district commander, presided.

The visitors were guests at a squirrel stew at the Kerec's State Guard armory at the noon hour.

A particular eater is the raccoon, which washes its food before swallowing it.

Two-thirds of the world's people spend their whole lives producing food.



WAR IN THE MEDITERRANEAN—Allies announced bomber attacks (arrows) on two German airfields at Marseilles, the harbor of Sibenik, Yugoslavia, and an airport at Athens, and the British command to benefit Imperial Oil Company and the Canadian government."

Calling for a re-examination of the contract, Ickes said:

"I don't think that it was in the interest of the government. If we had been consulted, we never would have approved such a contract."

Truman told him that post-war disposition of the project would rest with a Canadian and an American representative, subject to certain conditions.

The American government is to pay \$1.25 a barrel for the first 1,500,000 barrels, Truman said, with future withdrawals to paid for at 50 cents less.

Call for "Scraping" Project.

Ickes' sentiments were concurred in by Rep. Gavins (R-Pa.), who said "there are a billion barrels of oil in the earth waiting to be coaxed out" in his home district and called for immediate "scraping" of the Canadian project.

Ickes told the senate's Truman committee that in return for "enormous investments and risks which we alone have assumed," the nation should be accorded "a permanent peace-time share of the oil and products to be produced upon terms commensurate with the magnitude of the contribution" which this government has made.

The project consists of experimental drilling, a pipeline from Fort Norman to White Horse, Canada, an oil refinery at White Horse, and roads and other facilities being built by a Canadian oil company.

Emphasizing he was before the committee "as a witness and not as a volunteer" (apparently a reference to President Roosevelt's warning to department heads against airing their differences in public), the petroleum administrator and interior secretary told the senators that members of his staff first heard of the project "by chance in the spring of 1942."

"Our first impulse was to discount the report," he testified, "because we assumed, that, if any project of the kind were being considered we would have been officially informed of it."

**Write Stimson.**

When the reports were verified, he said, he wrote Secretary of War Stimson on June 3, 1942, "expressing my regret that the army had not consulted with my office on a matter which was of such vital concern to us."

He told Stimson that President Roosevelt had given him the responsibility for development of such projects and while agreed with the necessity of providing fuel for air force operations in the area, he "did not believe that the solution proposed by the army was the most desirable one."

Ickes said he raised the question of the desirability of a pipeline from Fort Norman to White Horse over 500 miles of "virtually unknown territory" involving difficult problem of procuring equipment for an aviation gas plant.

He suggested, as a less costly alternative, consideration of a plan for transporting the needed products from California via the inland passage to Skagway and thence to protected storage at White Horse and other strategic points by way of tank car or pipeline.

**E. D. HITCHCOCK  
DIED IN HOUSTON;  
BE BURIED DALLAS**

E. D. Hitchcock, former automobile salesman here, died in Houston Sunday night from a heart attack, it has been learned here. Funeral services will be held in Dallas

Wednesday. The body was taken from Houston to the home of Mrs. J. C. Moncrief, 2416 Park Row, Dallas.

Hitchcock moved to Corpus Christi about 18 months ago, and later to Houston. He resided here about 15 years.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Moncrief Hitchcock, Houston; three sisters, Mrs. Doyle Wilson, Bryan; Mrs. Gordon Forsythe, Corpus Christi; Mrs. Clarence Key, Dallas, and other relatives.

**Nazi Divisions Bottled Up.**  
NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—(P)—Maj. Gen. Martin Lattman, a German officer who was captured at Stalingrad and is now a radio spokesman for Soviet-dominated "Free Germany Committee," said today in a Moscow broadcast that the German army has five to seven divisions hopelessly bottled up in the Crimea. Lattman called upon the Nazi divisional commanders to remember the "human aspects" of Stalingrad and surrender to avoid "senseless sacrifice."

Bees eat their weight in food every month.



## AGAIN

We Have Cause to Rejoice

This year, America's lands are still free from foreign invasion; it's skies untroubled by enemy aircraft. We have good cause to thank our God for His beneficence. Let us do so, and let us look forward to the day when all countries will be as fortunate as we are.

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## BITTER STORM OVER FOOD SUBSIDIES IS TEMPORARILY QUIET

### HOUSE BILL FOR TWO CLASHES WITH ADMIN- ISTRATION THIS WEEK

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—(P)—The subsidy storm, rising toward a crescendo roll-call in the house, was stilled for a time today in the wake of the sudden deaths of two representatives—Steagall (D-Ala.) chairman of the house banking committee and a leader in the fight against the administration's subsidy plans, and Ditter (R-Pa.) chairman of his party's congressional campaign committee.

All chamber business was suspended for them, thus putting off a 24-hour showdown on a subsidy bill which even administration stalwarts expected would be vetoed by a powerful coalition of republicans and farm state democrats.

**He Didn't Say Yes.**  
Interior Secretary Ickes, the big yes-and-no man on the domestic oil scene, told the Truman War Investigating committee the U. S. \$130,000,000 Canol oil project in Canada—sponsored by the War Department to provide fuel for air force operations in that area—"ought to be junked now."

**Hands Off.**  
Chief Justice Harlan Stone informed the senate he would decline to take part in appointing any member to a proposed war ballot commission which would administer absentee voting by the armed forces.

**A Busy Week Ahead.**  
Congress in general got ready for a big week, and at least two days with the administration.

Both clashes will get underway in the house. Already sporting a put-this-in-your-pipe-and-smoke-it attitude, the house will vote on the measure extending the life of the Commodity Credit Corporation (CCC) but at the same time banning the food subsidies which the administration says would hold down retail prices. Then it will turn to general debate on the new tax bill, now standing at \$2,142,000,000—slightly more than a fifth of the \$10,500,000,000 which the treasury asked and still is asking.

Despite over-the-weekend endorsement of the subsidy program by Navy Secretary Knox, War Production Chief Donald Nelson and OPA Administrator Chester Bowles, a coalition of republicans and farm state democrats is standing firm against offers of a compromise.

And there is little doubt that the tax bill—only a faint echo of the treasury's call for more monies to be added to existing revenues—will be passed by the house sometime this week after two days of general debate.

And the house also has two other hits of business before it. One is its review of war appropriations, the pace of which has been stepped up by the disclosure that the army is turning back \$13,000,000,000 which it has received from congress but which it says it doesn't need this year. The other is the move, growing

Lotteries were permitted in some states as late as 1890.

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